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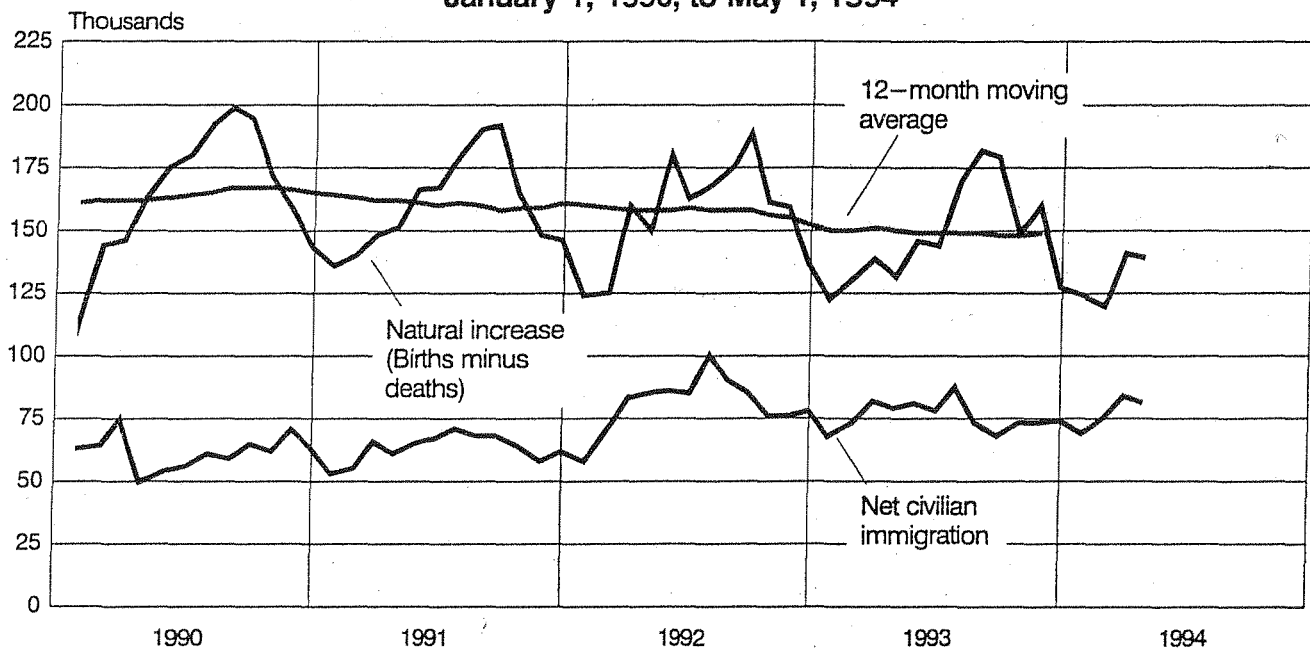
(The population estimates shown here are based on the April 1, 1990, population as enumerated in the 1990 census.)

The resident population of the United States plus Armed Forces overseas was estimated to be approximately 260,514,000 on May 1, 1994. This figure represents an increase of 2,723,000 or 1.1 percent over the estimate for the corresponding month a year ago, and an increase of 220,000 over the previous month. The monthly gain was the result of a natural increase of 138,000 (excess of births over deaths) and estimated net civilian immigration of 82,000. (See chart below. Data are adjusted for number of days in the month.) The May 1, 1994, total population represents an increase of 11,289,000 over the population counted on April 1, 1990, which serves as the beginning point for the estimate.

This report presents estimates for months back to April 1, 1990, of the (1) resident population plus Armed

Forces overseas, (2) resident population, and (3) civilian population. The estimates are based on data from the decennial census; statistics on births and deaths provided by the National Center for Health Statistics, U.S. Public Health Service; statistics on immigration provided by the Immigration and Naturalization Service, Department of Justice; data on Federal civilian employees abroad and their dependents provided by the Department of Defense and the Office of Personnel Management; data on movement between Puerto Rico and the 50 States (including the District of Columbia) provided by the Puerto Rico Planning Board; and data on the Armed Forces provided by the Department of Defense. For a discussion of the estimating procedure used in deriving these estimates, see Current Population Reports, P25-1045.

Components of Population Change, by Month:
January 1, 1990, to May 1, 1994



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Estimates of the Population, by Type: April 1, 1990, to May 1, 1994

(In thousands. Estimates for each month from January 1, 1950, to March 1, 1980, are given in Current Population Reports, P25-1045. Estimates for months from April 1, 1980, to March 1, 1990, are available on request)

Date	Resident population plus Armed forces overseas	Resident population	Civilian population	Date	Resident population plus Armed forces overseas	Resident population	Civilian population
1994				1991—cont.			
December 1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	July 1	252,648	252,137	250,526
November 1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	June 1	252,414	251,887	250,297
October 1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	May 1	252,178	251,552	250,046
September 1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	April 1	251,966	251,278	249,823
August 1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	March 1	251,746	251,057	249,601
July 1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	February 1	251,560	250,877	249,419
June 1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	January 1	251,367	250,686	249,233
May 1	260,514	260,205	258,789	1990			
April 1	260,294	259,982	258,559	December 1	251,156	250,529	249,016
March 1	260,065	259,750	258,321	November 1	250,928	250,352	248,791
February 1	259,878	259,562	258,129	October 1	250,689	250,166	248,552
January 1	259,681	259,364	257,931	September 1	250,431	249,911	248,288
1993				August 1	250,167	249,653	248,010
December 1	259,476	259,157	257,712	July 1	249,908	249,399	247,759
November 1	259,242	258,921	257,469	June 1	249,672	249,160	247,534
October 1	259,015	258,690	257,228	May 1	249,438	248,924	247,293
September 1	258,768	258,439	256,973	April 1	249,225	248,710	247,070
August 1	258,508	258,176	256,703				
July 1	258,245	257,908	256,436				
June 1	258,022	257,682	256,218				
May 1	257,790	257,448	255,979				
April 1	257,579	257,233	255,755				
March 1	257,354	257,006	255,521				
February 1	257,159	256,809	255,318				
January 1	256,964	256,614	255,112				
1992							
December 1	256,747	256,396	254,876				
November 1	256,513	256,161	254,634				
October 1	256,271	255,915	254,378				
September 1	255,999	255,637	254,077				
August 1	255,731	255,359	253,781				
July 1	255,458	255,078	253,493				
June 1	255,210	254,821	253,242				
May 1	254,937	254,539	252,960				
April 1	254,702	254,295	252,712				
March 1	254,453	254,037	252,452				
February 1	254,263	253,841	252,248				
January 1	254,076	253,645	252,053				
1991							
December 1	253,864	253,427	251,823				
November 1	253,658	253,210	251,603				
October 1	253,426	252,964	251,356				
September 1	253,168	252,690	251,071				
August 1	252,904	252,407	250,789				

NA Not available
1 Census count April 1, 1990--248,709,873